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One of Them Made a Load for Four
Men—Both Were Brought to
America—One Was Re-
turned to London.

New York.—This is a picture of one of the two largest tusks that ever came into the ivory trade. Both came from the same animal.

The specimen here supported by four ivory carriers weighs 247 pounds. Think of carrying around to a very venerable age a weight of nearly 500 pounds in tusks alone! No wonder that an elephant's neck is so thick and muscular.

One day about eight years ago a party of black elephant hunters on a slope of Mount Kilimanjaro saw the animal that was carrying these wonderful tusks around and killed it. The villagers down below were much astonished when they saw four men carrying the ivory down the mountain. They had never seen a tusk before that was more than a one-man load.

The tusks were taken to Zanzibar, where they were the talk of the town. The bidding for them was spirited, and naturally enough, they were purchased for the American trade. Both of them came to New York, but one crossed the ocean again and is now in the British museum.

The agent of a Berlin museum arrived in Zanzibar a few days after the tusks had been shipped, and was greatly chagrined because one of them had not been purchased for him. He had left a sum of money there with instructions that if anything unique in the museum line came along it was to be purchased for his institution.

On his return to Europe he telegraphed to America to learn what one of the tusks might be purchased for. The answer was \$5,000, and that settled it. Berlin never expects to own one of the biggest tusks in the world.

It is rare that a tusk weighs more than from 100 to 120 pounds. The size of the tusk does not depend upon the age or size of the animal. Some of the



A LOAD FOR FOUR MEN.
(The Largest Elephant Tusks of Which There is Any Record.)

largest tusks have been obtained from small elephants.

These two tusks were more than nine feet in length, but the aged bull elephant that wore them was of only medium size. The next largest tusks on record in the African trade weighed respectively 226½ and 175 pounds.

No one ever hears of such ravages among the Indian elephants as has been made by hunters among the African herds. This is due to the inferiority of size of their tusks, and therefore in the value of the ivory they yield.

An Asiatic cow elephant has very small tusks or none at all, and very few of the males have large development of ivory. They are like some men who cannot grow whiskers even with the stimulus of hair lotions. But this inferiority has been their salvation, for there are no signs that they will meet the doom of extermination that threatens their African brethren.

The heaviest Asiatic tusks that are known to have come into the market weighed 109, 106 and 100 pounds. The largest tusk of a mammoth yet dug out of the soil weighed 173 pounds.

So the old animal which was caught on the side of Kilimanjaro takes the palm, as far as the records go, in ancient or modern times.

Southampton's Success.

Tidal oddities are the secret of the prosperity of Southampton, which is used as a port of entry in spite of the fact that under ordinary conditions costly dredging would be required to make the town available as a port. Southampton has four tides daily in place of the ordinary two, and scarcely has one tide begun to ebb when a second checks its progress and gives high water again. Owing to the position of the Isle of Wight, the tides enter both from the English channel and the Solent, and there is but an hour of ebb to each tide. This enables the largest steamers to dock at any time, and has drawn largely from Liverpool, with its costly improvements.

Costly Crown for a Statue.

Seventeen hours of religious services preceded the crowning of the statue of "The Virgin of the Pillar" in the Cathedral of Saragossa. Twenty-two altars were in use, services being continuous at all of them, and at last the archbishop advanced with due solemnity and placed the crown upon the head of the statue, while a military band stationed outside played the royal march and a salute was fired from the fort. The ceremony was followed by a jollification and the performance of national dances in the market place. The crown was presented by the queen mother and the ladies of the aristocracy of Madrid, and is valued at \$150,000, being more costly than some of the crowns worn by kings.

Name of Cape Horn.

Cape Horn was so named by Sponten, a Dutch sailor, who first "doubled it," from the name of his birthplace, Hoorn, a village on the Zuyder Zee.

OVER THE OCEAN.

India railroads have just adopted a standard time, which is five and a half hours ahead of Greenwich.

In one day the number of paupers relieved in 35 selected urban districts in England corresponded to a rate of 228 to 10,000 of the population.

A regatta was rowed on the Zambesi the other day to mark the jubilee of Dr. Livingstone's discovery of the Victoria falls. There were 700 visitors.

The Berlin municipal authorities have decided to establish public "sun and light baths," at which first, second and third class fees will be charged.

An engine on the Cape-to-Cape railroad ran over and killed a fine leopard on the Victoria Falls bridge recently at night. It measured eight feet in length.

M. Aumont, a Belgian farmer, committed suicide owing to the loss of valuable securities. Rats gnawed their way through a wooden deed box and destroyed the documents.

The British army authorities believe that it is the khaki that has stopped recruiting. So they are going to return to the scarlet, reserving the khaki for active service and the training camps.

Park policemen assert that in the last two years investigations of several cases of drowning of young girls after boats had been overturned disclosed indications of hoodlums having rocked the boats.

Little Princess Victoria Louise, the kaiser's only daughter, hates starched, frilly things and, in her wilderness of snowy muslins, dreams vainly of a happy state in which she could grub in the dirt to her heart's content.

The United German Automobile clubs have decided to organize an international motor race on a great scale in July or August of next year, in the vicinity of Hamburg. The German government has promised its official support to the scheme.

SELECTED SCIENCE.

Fine gold has been found to be highly soluble in a strong solution of yellow ammonium sulphide.

An experiment with vacuum tubes of several kinds by Herr Hess showed that external friction of the tube, such as rubbing with the free hand, stimulates conductivity within.

John Butler Burke, who, through the discovery of radiographs, has suddenly become the most talked of man in the United Kingdom as a man of science, is an Irishman, and was graduated from Trinity college.

Radium, like all other things, must be known by what it does. And so far as known, the doings of radium have no parallel in nature. The chemist has seen that it shines by its own light; and this not for a day, a month, a year, but for an illimitable period.

New smoke-burning appliances continue to use up a considerable share of the world's inventive energy. The promising idea of a Belgian chemist consists in drawing the smoke out of the chimney by an aspirator, and passing it through a filter of coke saturated with petroleum. The filter collects the soot, while the gases passing through are made combustible by the enriching with petroleum vapor. There is no loss, as the coke of the filter is an excellent fuel.

SCINTILLATING SENTENCES.

Steadfastness is not pigheadedness.

A thing worth having is worth going after.

Love of home is the foundation of patriotism.

Punctuality is the advance guard of progress.

Selfishness and stinginess are not evidences of thrift.

To-day is the crucial point of yesterday and to-morrow.

Men who ride hobbies never walk in the footprints of others.

Have you ever wondered if a "summer girl" is as cool as she looks?

Christianity is vastly more than being good through fear of punishment.

It is unsafe to trust an important matter to a man who has nothing else to do.

The man who quits work by the clock will always have to work by the clock.

RACIAL PECULIARITIES.

Stammering is unknown among savage tribes.

The native of India has an average life of 24 years, as against 44 in England.

The children of Ainos, a people living in northern Japan, do not receive their names until they are five years old. It is the father who then chooses the name by which the child is afterwards to be called.

In Iceland, that country of gentle and old-fashioned customs, it has always been the fashion to present to the baby, when its first tooth appeared, a lamb, to be its very own, cared for and tended as no other pet could be, and never to be parted with.

Conspicuous among the adornments of the bridal feast in Brittany is an artistic and elaborate butter structure, as fanciful and elegant as the most beautiful bridal cake, and into this structure the guests stick split sticks bearing coins of gold or silver.

ADMONITORY ADVICE.

Don't court trouble unless you want to marry it.

Be sure you are right, and then take another look.

Don't measure a man's sincerity by the vigor of his handshake.

Take care of your enemies, and your friends will take care of themselves.

It is well to remember that all the good excuses have already been made.

Even the fellow who is his own best friend can't get along very well without a few others.

FIGURES AND FINDINGS.

The post office is the largest employer of labor in Great Britain.

Paris has the biggest debt of any city in the world. It amounts to £80,000,000.

In London out of 100 widowers who marry again 12 marry their housekeepers.

Within the past four years France has recorded 26,000 suicides, while in Italy the number has been only 8,000.

More than 2,000 people earn a living in Paris by fortune-telling, and their total yearly earnings are estimated at £400,000.

Stockholm has the largest death-rate from the use of alcohol of any city in the world. The number of deaths from this cause is 80 in 1,000.

The richest bed of nitre in the world is at Atacama, in Chili. It covers 5,000 acres, contains 25,000,000 tons, and is valued at £300,000,000.

On every shilling turned out the mint makes a profit of nearly three-pence. On every ton of penny pieces taken out from the mint there is a profit of £232.

Over 15,000,000 visits are paid every year to London pawnbrokers. The exact figures are on an average 50,300 a day. Throughout the whole country the number of pledges is said to amount to 190,000,000 per annum.

Our French neighbors are said to expend a sum of no less than £20,000,000 annually in tips. In Paris alone £11,200 a day, or rather more than £4,000,000 a year, is said to find its way into the pockets of waiters, cabmen, porters and the many other persons who look upon tips as their right and perquisite.

TOLD OF THE TITLED.

The empress of Russia's favorite scent is violet.

The shah of Persia could sell his ornaments and precious stones for more than \$35,000,000.

On the recent official celebration of his birthday, King Edward conferred on his chef, M. Menager, the Victorian medal.

Sir Alfred Jones contemplates building in the center of London a large hotel, in which every luxury of bed and board will be provided for two dollars a day.

The Marquis of Ely owns a country seat originally designed as a stable. It was made over into a hunting lodge and has entirely lost any suggestion of its former uses.

The late Baron Alphonse de Rothschild's favorite way of answering impertinent questions regarding investments was: "If you want to dine well take such and such a stock, but if you want to sleep well take some other."

A retired army lieutenant has been arrested at Nauplia, Greece, owing to having predicted some weeks ago that M. Delyannis, the premier, would be assassinated June 13, which was the actual date of the crime. He says the murder was foretold to him in a dream.

In spite of his years, King Leopold of Belgium is one of the most daring of men. Not only is he given to riding in an automobile at tremendous speed, but he also employs as a chauffeur one Marcel, who is a pronounced anarchist. He has been warned against the man by the police of Belgium, France and Germany, but he pays no heed to their counsel.

LITERATURE AND ART.

Rudyard Kipling used to be an expert at carpentering and has successfully constructed many miniature ships.

Mrs. Ogden Golet has had made at an enormous expense an edition de luxe of "Hyperion." It is a limited edition of one and that will be placed in her library.

The heroine of "Annie Laurie" was the daughter of Sir Walter Laurie, of Maxwelltown. The composer of the song was William Douglas, of England. In the stowaway of Kirkcubright.

Leonid Andreyev is a new Russian author whose work is taking its place alongside that of Gorky in popularity. He was born in 1871, and his literary career did not begin until seven years ago, after his failure as a lawyer.

Prof. White, of Ithaca, N. Y., has arrived in Berlin from Florence, Italy, after he had succeeded in securing the release from the Italian government of the valuable collection of books and art objects left to Cornell university by Prof. D. W. Fiske, the well-known Danish scholar.

Harold Speed, the London artist, is pleasantly cynical and witty in speech. One of his sayings is: "No gentleman (in the ordinary acceptance of the word) should be an artist, for either the gentleman or the artist must suffer." Another favorite observation of his: "Look a fool, but don't be one." Mr. Speed is a bit of a dandy, but everything about him betrays the artistic temperament.

ODD BURIAL CUSTOMS.

The custom of burying without coffins was formerly very prevalent on the continent. A sheet was the only covering used.

The feeling in favor of burying on the south side of a church is probably a traditional one, dating back to the time of sun worship.

The South American negroes have a queer way of decorating the graves of their dead friends. It is the custom down there to make a border around the grave of the medicine bottles used during the dead one's last illness.

A very curious old custom is associated with interments in the cemetery of Labruch, Connemara, Ireland. A box of pipes—short flutes—is brought with the coffin, and a pipe with tobacco is served out to each mourner. The pipes are smoked in silence after the earth has been filled in and a mound of stones raised above the grave, the ashes are solemnly knocked out on the top and the pipes are broken or left behind.

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